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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

President Roosevelt has issued his thanksgiving proclamation for Thursday, Nov. 24. —— Dynamite explosion in the Texas oil fields killed two and injured several other persons. —— A receiver has been appointed for the firm of Larabee & Co. —— A prominent young man of Montgomery, Ala., was found dead on the roof of a bank building in Montgomery with a set of burglars' tools near him. —— A treaty providing for settlement by arbitration of every possible dispute between the United States and France was signed yesterday in Washington. —— In the McCue trial it was decided by the defence not to place the accused on the witness stand; at least two days will be taken up in arguments by attorneys. —— Negotiations between Great Britain and Russia for settlement of the North Sea affair are progressing favorably. —— A war panic prevailed in London for a time, but it was allayed by an official statement from the foreign office. —— All the Russian vessels left Vigo, Spain, yesterday morning. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent.; closing bid 2 per cent.; offered at 2½ per cent.; cotton quiet at 10c; flour dull and barely steady; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red $1.18¼; corn—spot firm; No. 2, 59½c; rosin firm; spirits turpentine easy.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 1.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 45 degrees; 8 P. M., 57 degrees; maximum, 68 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 54 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of October to date, 0. 00 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1.—For North Carolina: Fair Wednesday and Thursday; variable winds.

Port Almanac—November 2.

Sun Rises	6.23 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.04 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 41 M.
High Water at Southport	3.02 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	5.32 P. M.

Governor Aycock spoke to a large and enthusiastic crowd at Clinton on Monday.

In New York Sunday an operation for appendicitis was performed on Mr. Kogo Takahira, Japanese minister at Washington. Reports from his bedside are hopeful.

A Republican politician in Richmond, Va., committed suicide because Roosevelt ignored him by refusing to give him an office. Gracious, is an office all that a Republican lives for?

If Panama wants anything else besides that $10,000,000 for the canal, let her say so and speak easy without blubbering when Gen. Taft gets on the zone. If she keeps on Panama will run the risk of being annexed to the canal zone.

Says the Baltimore Sun: "Judge Parker thinks he could get a complete list of the trusts if Chairman Cortelyou would show his Republican contribution book." What Parker thinks about it Cortelyou knows for a certainty. The Sun illumines the point clearly.

Tom Watson says if the campaign were to last three months longer Parker would withdraw in his favor and the South would welcome the chance to vote for him. He also believe he could be elected President. On all these propositions, Watson is liable to revive the hopes of the gold brick sellers.

We wouldn't give a ginger cake for the differences between the Republicans and the Democrats as to what the Philippines have cost. We want to know what the dividend is even on the lowest amount of expenditures claimed by the Republicans. Business is business and flop-eared dogs for coons.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Delcasse, of France, gets credit for bringing about an equitable basis for adjusting the recent differences between Great Britain and Russia, growing out of the Hull fishing fleet incident. Roosevelt will want to kick himself for being too busy with the campaign to have gotten ahead of the French minister.

It's a low state if morals in the Republican party that will allow Gen. Luke Wright's political cablegram to be changed to the government instead of the Republican campaign fund. The United States treasurer ought to be enjoined from paying it, if it is really true that he is expected to pay the toll amounting to several hundred dollars on a cablegram for use only in a political campaign.

We have received the November Thanksgiving) number of Madame, a monthly magazine "for women who think." In all respects it is a charming publication. Its contents embrace a variety of interesting matter, including literature, art and fashion. It is beautifully illustrated, and is a shining mark for popularity. Price $1 per year. Address The Ford Publishing Company, Indianapolis, Ind.

LOCAL DOTS.

— A naval recruiting station will be open here from Nov. 17th to 23rd.

— Schooner "Thos. A. Ward" cleared yesterday, light, for Port Royal, S. C.

— Meeting of the Dorcas Society Thursday, 4 P. M., Luther Memorial Building.

— British steamer "Rosneath," hence for Bremen with cotton cargo, arrived out Sunday.

— Service at First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8:15 o'clock. All are invited.

— The police made 110 arrests during October—78 defendants having been colored and 32 white.

— A defective flue caused a small fire at the Dixie Cafe at 8 P. M. yesterday. The damage was only trifling.

— British steamer "Daleby,, 2,353 tons, Capt. Lewis, arrived yesterday from Hull, England, for cargo of cotton.

— Cotton was steady at 9.37½ on the local market yesterday. There were offers to buy rosin at $2.50 per barrel, but no sellers at that figure.

— Justice Fowler yesterday sent to jail for the Superior Court, Stella Gause, colored, charged with assaulting Lillie Pugh, also colored, in Love's alley.

— A slight blaze at the residence of Mr. L. B. Sasser, corner of Eighth and Market streets, at 1:30 yesterday afternoon, did damage amounting to about $40.

— The monthly statement of the receipts and exports of cotton and naval stores at the port of Wilmington is printed in the commercial columns of the STAR to-day.

— Bishop Capers and Bishop Horner, who were here for the consecration service, spoke at a largely attended missionary meeting at St. John's church yesterday evening.

— Newton Haywood, colored, was arrested by Policeman C. E. Wood yesterday, charged with stealing a box of cigars and a small box of tobacco from Stone & Co. on or about Oct. 15th.

— British steamer "Armenia" cleared yesterday for Glasgow, Scotland, with cargo of 2,875 barrels rosin and 515,000 feet gum timber, the latter part of the cargo being valued at $20,000.

— In the police court yesterday the Mayor announced that he would adopt new tactics in handling the case of John Watson, charged with being drunk and disorderly. Judgment was suspended pending his good behavior in the future.

—The revival meeting at Southside church was well attended last night. The services will continue every day this week at 4 P. M. and 8 P. M., the night service to be preceded at 7:30 by song service.

— The Clerk of the Supersor Court yesterday received from the Secretary of State a certificate of incorporation for the Cape Fear Aid and Relief Association, of this city, mention of which was made in these columns a few days ago. The incorporators are Messrs. John E. Wood, W. E. Yopp, A. J. Hewlett, S. E. Wood, T. Roe, S. L. Yopp, Jno. S. Hill, John C. McCartney, W. H. Howell and Jno. N. Mohr.

Killed in Richmond.

The Richmond Times-Dispatch of yesterday contains an account of the mysterious death of Mr. James Calder, who was a resident of Wilmington for many years and an inspector of air brakes for the Atlantic Coast Line. The body of Mr. Calder was found by the side of the car track Monday morning with a hole knocked in the left side of his head. He was either struck by a car or dealt with foully as he was returning alone Sunday night from Cavalry Baptist Church, where he sang in the choir. A daughter of Mr. Calder married Mr. E. B. Woody, a son of Mr. E. G. Woody, of this city, and formerly a resident here, but now living in New York. Mr. Calder was at one time a leader in the choir of the First Baptist Church here.

Paul Kruger's Nephew Here.

Wilmington has an interesting visitor this week in the person of Rev. Dr. Epke Rolf Derwall, a nephew of the late Oom Paul Kruger. Mr. Derwall is a guest at Mrs. Litgen's, on Second street, and is a most interesting conversationalist about affairs in the Transvaal. He is a former president of the Transvaal Volksead (Congress) and served with distinction as a division commander in the Boer war. Mr. Dewall came here on his way to Charleston and Savannah, which cities he will visit next in the hope of getting a vessel, other than a Britisher, bound to German East Africa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

T. D. Love Co.—Progressive.
The "Delmonico."—What is it.
Wilmington Grocery Co.—Notice.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Walter Taft—For rent.
Heat—The bedroom with gas.

The scope of the three rings, elevated stages, coliseum course and highway pageants of the Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Shows has been enlarged to include mammoth expert and historical military features which would mightily please even Mars himself.

— Mr. Neill McLaurin arrived from the South yesterday.

SOUTHERN SAW MILL SUIT.

Judge Purnell Signs an Order Suspending Special Examination and Transferring the Hearing to Raleigh.

In the United States Circuit Court here yesterday, Judge Thos. R. Purnell, presiding, signed an order suspending the taking of depositions by Cameron F. MacRae, special examiner, in the case of the Southern Saw Mill and Lumber Co., at Kingsdale, N. C., and continuing the hearing to be held in the city of Raleigh on November 15th. The case is a bill in equity brought by Robt. L. Forrest, of Philadelphia, et. al. against the lumber company asking for the removal of W. J. Edwards, as receiver, the appointment of another receiver and for such other relief as the court may deem proper. The taking of depositions was appointed to begin in Lumberton yesterday, but was abandoned upon the order of the court, which was upon motion of Jones & Fuller, attorneys for Receiver Edwards, who set out among other things the incompetency in law of the special examiner, he being a law partner of Mr. Meares, one of the solicitors for the complainants, and that the subpoena was served upon the receiver on a Sunday. Judge Purnell orders that the suit be consolidated with that of the Carolina Northern Railroad against the lumber company and that it be considered a motion for intervention and petition for foreclosure filed by leave of court. To the order complainants except and the same is allowed by the court. The order in full is as follows:

Robt. L. Forest on behalf of self and others vs Southern Saw Mill and Lumber Co., W. J. Edwards, receiver, et al.

ORDER.

This case coming on to be heard upon motion of Pou & Fuller, representing W. J. Edwards, receiver, and it appearing from telegram produced by them and filed in court, that Iredell Meares, Esq., solicitor for complainant, had been notified on yesterday that such motion would be made; and it appearing from the bill filed by complainant, asking for foreclosure, etc., that the property upon which complainant claims a lien as a holder of bonds secured by a deed of morigage, is now held and administered by its receiver, W. J. Edwards, under decree made in January, 1903, in the Circuit Court at Raleigh in a suit in equity entitled Carolina Northern Railroad Co. vs Southern Saw Mill and Lumber Co., and it appearing to the court that this suit is also in the nature of an attack upon said receiver and that all proceedings asking for a foreclosure of the property in the hands of the receiver, as well as all complaints against or attacks upon the receiver must be made by motion or by petition for intervention in the original suit; and it appearing that the subpoena to appear and be examined at Lumberton to-day before Cameron MacRae, special examiner, was read to W. J. Edwards on Sunday last and that a motion to quash said subpoena has been made in this county, and it further appearing to the court that defendants object to the competency of Cameron MacRae, Esq., to act as special examiner in the cause; now, therefore, it is ordered by the court:

That this suit be consolidated and made a part of the suit now pending in the United States Court at Raleigh on the equity docket and entitled: Carolina Northern R. R. Co., complainant, vs. Southern Saw Mill & Lumber Co., defendants, and that it be considered a motion for intervention and petition for foreclosure filed, by leave of court, in said cause, and that complainant have leave, if he desires, to amend bill in substance or form.

It is further ordered that the examination of witness before Cameron MacRae, Esq., be suspended until the objections to his competency to serve as special examiner may be filed and passed upon, as well as the motion to quash the subpoena alleged to have been served on W. J. Edwards.

The Clerk of this Court will immediately furnish copies of this order to attorneys for complainant, to W. J. Edwards, receiver, and to Cameron MacRae, Esq.

All affidavits taken by either party hereto, may be used in the consolidated case in any hearing, or upon any motion where relevant and competent.

Defendants are allowed 15 days in which to file written objections to the competency of Cameron MacRae, Esq., to act as special examiner in this cause, copy of such objections to be mailed to Iredell Meares, Esq., by the clerk upon filing of the same by defendants.

The court will pass upon said objections, and upon the motion to quash the subpoena at the same time.

The bill filed by complainant herein shall be transmitted with this order to the clerk of the United States Circuit Court at Raleigh and when so transmitted shall be considered as a petition for intervention or as a cross bill filed asking for foreclosure and for the other relief therein prayed for.

THOMAS R. PURNELL,
U. S. Judge Presiding.

To the foregoing order complainant excepts. Exception allowed, signed and sealed this Nov. 1st, 1904.

OUR CONGRESSMAN HERE.

Plans Maturing for Big Democratic Rally Here on Friday Night.

Hon. G. B. Patterson, congressman from this district, was here yesterday returning from Southport, where on Monday night he spoke, with the Brunswick county candidates, to a large gathering in the Court House. Mr. Patterson left in the afternoon for his home in Maxton and will fill several appointments near his home to-morrow and next day.

Friday night of this week Mr. Patterson and Hon. H. L. Godwin, Democratic elector for this district, will speak in Wilmington and the County Executive Committee proposes to make of the event a Democratic rally. A brass band will be engaged and burning barrels in front of the Court House will contribute to the eclat of the occasion. Every Democrat in the city is expected to attend the meeting.

— Among yesterday's arrivals were: Chas. G. Rose, Fayetteville; N. H. Carter, Wallace; W. H. Cox, Laurinburg; W. D. Lane, Mt. Olive.

CONSECRATION CEREMONIES.

Beloved Dr. Strange, of Richmond, Va., Inducted Into Office of Bishop Coadjutor.

Beautiful Exercises in St. James' Episcopal Church, This City, Yesterday Morning—Assemblage of Distinguished Men and Women of Carolina and Other States—Reception Last Night.

If superlatives be not amiss in a description of one of the most holy and most sacred orders of the church, it requires no compromise of the facts, no zealous fancy or vivid imagination to pronounce the elaborate exercises which marked the consecration of the beloved Dr. Robert Strange as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of East Carolina, in Saint James' church yesterday morning, as the most beautiful, the most impressive, the most soul-inspiring ever witnessed here. The committee in charge of the arrangements had planned well and the imposing ceremonies attending the consecration were perfectly executed to the minutest detail and in precise conformity to the beautiful rites of the church. The day was bright and balmy, an augury of the progress, power and spirituality that his friends know will characterize the work of Dr. Strange, who now begins on his higher ministry in the Church of God.

Long before the hour appointed for the consecration the church began to fill with those who had been favored with cards of admission, and at 11 o'clock when the procession of Bishops and clergy entered the church through the south entrance, thence to the vestibule down the southern aisle and up the main aisle to the chancel, led by the full surpliced choir of the church, the congregation was the seating capacity of the building. There was no confusion, however, and no difficulty in obtaining seats, as is generally the case on occasions of great public interest; the committee of arrangements having so systematized matters as to avoid the possibility of anything of the kind occurring. Polite and gallant young ushers were in attendance to extend every courtesy the occasion demanded. It was the largest and most distinguished assemblage ever seen within the walls of that historic building, except, perhaps, upon the occasion of the funeral of the lamented Bishop Atkinson or upon the consecration of the venerable Bishop Watson there in April, 1884.

Not only the clergy of the Diocese, but visiting clergy from North Carolina and Maryland, and laymen from different parishes, and visitors from other States were present to witness the consummation of the hopes of the Diocese in the consecration of the Bishop Coadjutor elect.

Of the Diocesan clergy there were present, the Revs. Nathaniel Harding, president of the Standing Committee; J. Carmichael, D.D., A.W. Seabrease, Edward Wootten, Luther Eborn, R.B. Drane, D. D., I. W. Hughes, F. H. T. Horsfield, F. N. Skinner, secretary of the Council; T. P. Noe, R. W. Hogue, W.E. Cox, J. H. Griffith, Jr., E. R. Bennett, W. G. Avant, C. B. Pritchett and W. M. Weston. Visiting clergy: Revs. Cary Gamble, I. McK. Pittenger, W. J. Smith, J. T. Chambers, of North Carolina, and J. D. Miller, of Baltimore.

Morning prayer having been said at 7:45 o'clock, the consecration service began with the office of the Holy Communion in which Rt. Rev. Ellison Capers, Bishop of South Carolina, and Bishop presiding, was the celebrant. The Epistle was read by the Rt. Rev. Robert A. Gibson, D. D., Bishop of Virginia. The sermon was by Rt. Rev. Alfred M. Randolph, D. D., Bishop of Southern Virginia, from the text I Cor. XII: 3; "No man can say that Jesus is the Lord, but by the Holy Ghost." The Bishop in the latter part of his sermon, referred to his long and close friendship with the aged and beloved Bishop of the Diocese, and spoke most lovingly of the great work he had done for the Church and for his fellowmen.

His charge to the Bishop elect was full of fatherly counsel and tender sympathy and encouragement. Dr. Strange stood and was visibly affected as these words were spoken to him.

The Bishop-elect was presented to the Bishop presiding by the Bishops of North Carolina and Mississippi. The certificate of election was read by the Rev. F. N. Skinner, secretary of the council; the Testimonial from the council of the Diocese, by Rev. Nathaniel Harding, president of the council; the consent of the Standing Committees, by Rev. F. N. Skinner, secretary of Council, for the Secretary of the Standing Committee; the consent of the House of Bishops, by Rt. Rev. Junius Moore Horner, Bishop of Asheville, who also read the commission to consecrate.

The Bishop-elect gave the promise of conformity, after which, the Litany was said by Rt. Rev., the Bishop of North Carolina. The Bishop-elect then answered the questions of the ordinal, and was invested with "the rest of the Episcopal habit" by his attending Presbyters, Rev. Nathaniel Harding and Rev. James Carmichael, D. D.

The Bishop presiding began the "Veni Creator Spiritus," the entire congregation, led by the choir responding. All the Bishops present united in the laying-on of hands, but the words of consecration were said by the Bishop presiding alone.

All the clergy present and a large number of the congregation received the Holy Communion with the Bishop, Bishop Strange delivering the bread to the clergy and people, whom he had been selected to lead and consecrated to guide and rule with his fatherly counsel.

An evidence of the love borne by all to Bishop Strange, was given by the presence in the congregation of many of the ministers of other churches, not only in the city, but some of those whose work here had been contemporaneous with Bishop Strange's rectorship of St. James, church.

The scene of the consecration was beautiful indeed. About the chancel sat the Bishops and priests, vested with robes of their distinction. The chancel was tastefully decorated with palms, ferns, cut flowers and chrysanthemums. The music was exceedingly charming. Mrs. Cameron F. MacRae sang with beautiful effect during the offertory a soprano solo: "Hear, O! Israel."

It was a source of genuine regret, felt and expressed by the hundreds of distinguished churchmen present, that the venerable Bishop Watson could not be present and take part in the consecration as had been expected. Friends advised him that in view of his enfeebled condition he refrain from the excitement and exertion that would necessarily have been entailed by his attendance. Bishop Capers read the gospel in the communion service instead of the beloved Bishop Watson.

Reception Last Night.

The handsome Wilmington Light Infantry armory, ablaze with light and beautifully decorated with evergreens and flowers, was the scene last night, from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock, of a delightful reception in honor of the newly elected Bishop Coadjutor and the large number of visitors in the city. Hundreds of friends, of all denominations, called during the reception to extend their congratulations to Dr. Strange and to renew their love and esteem for him. In the assembly room of the armory, the following programme of music was beautifully rendered by a score of Wilmington's most gifted singers and pianists:

"The One That I Love," (Hawley), Ladies' Quartette: Mrs. J. D. Smith, Miss Mattie Lee Horne, Mrs. Greene Fenley and Miss Annie Adrian.

Piano Solo (1) "Knight Study" (Schuman). (2) "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes," (Ferdinand Dewey), Mrs. W. A. French.

"You and I," (Liza Lehman), a cradle song, Miss Maud Bulluck.

"Slumber Song," (Lohr), Presbyterian Quartette: Miss Horne, Mrs. J. D. Smith, Mr. Brooke French and Mr. H. K. Holden.

(1) "Song of Love," (Nevin), (2) "Baracolle" (Dekoven), Mrs. Cameron F. MacRae.

"Polka de la Reine," (Poff) Mrs. J. C Lord.

"Yearnings," (Rubenstein) Mrs. Joseph H. Watters.

"Oh! Shepherd of Israel," (Morrison), The Ladies' Quartette.

At the request of Capt. Robertson, Dr. Strange upon his arrival at the reception last evening left his autograph in the visitors' register at the armory. "Robert Strange, Wilmington," it read and the newly consecrated Bishop said feelingly as he contemplated the residence given, that it would be "Wilmington" in the future and unto the end. Dr. and Mrs. Strange will take up their residence here at once, occupying the handsome Kenan residence, for the present at least.

Upon terms of the request of Bishop Watson for a coadjutor at the Diocesan Council in this city last May, Dr. Strange will have in charge all the duties which pertain to the Bishop of the Diocese with the exception of the right to preside at any Diocesan Counsel when Bishop Watson may be able to do so and may be present. But this power is not to be understood as Bishop Watson's vacating his office or preventing him from confirming or other executive action when able to be present and officiate.

Dr. Strange's Departure.

Of Dr. Strange's departure from Richmond, yesterday's News-Leader says:

St. Paul's church was filled to its utmost capacity last evening, when the Rev. Dr. Robert Strange preached his last sermon. Dr. Strange took his text from St. Paul's epistle to the Romans, chapter I, verses 15 and 16: "So, as much in me is, I am ready to preach the Gospel to you that are at Rome also. For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God, unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek."

Dr. Strange urged his listeners to be proud of their faith and never to let human respect interfere with their proclaiming that they were Christian men and women and willing to do good work for the love of Christ and because they were his followers. Women who fill high social positions often decline invitations which do not meet with the approbation of their conscience, but in so doing frequently they are ashamed to give the real reason and pass the matter by with some trivial worldly excuse, when great good might have been accomplished if the woman had announced that she had a true Christian motive.

With men the same thing is evident. At the clubs or in social gatherings, a man will refrain from doing acts that he does not consider his duty as a Christian would permit. But he fails to tell his fellow-men that it is his conscience and his training as a follower of Christ that prompts him to adhere to the right path. He, too, will give a worldly reason, and another opportunity for doing good is perhaps lost.

In conclusion, Dr. Strange said that his connection with the people of St. Paul's church had been of a most delightful nature, and he would carry with him many pleasant memories. He was especially pleased to note that his services on Sunday evening had been so well attended, not only by the congregation, but by people of other denominations.

Both Dr. Strange and the congregation were visibly affected, and the pastor's emotion was frequently evidenced in his voice.

A committee from the vestry of St. Paul's church was appointed to go to Wilmington to attend the consecration of Dr. Strange as bishop coadjutor of North Carolina. They are: Colonel R. M. Maury, John B. Young, John Davenport and W. C. Bentley.

Among others from Richmond who will attend the consecration are: Miss Sallie Deane, Miss Frances Scott, Mrs. James H. Scott and Thomas Scott.

Dr. Strange preached his farewell sermon to his congregation yesterday morning. He left this morning for Wilmington and will be consecrated to-morrow in St. James' church. The Rev. Edward Wall, of Berryville, will supply the pulpit in St. Paul's church during the month of November.

THE REVEREND ROBERT STRANGE, D. D.

Emotional Play "Iris."

Jeanne Towler, in Pinero's famous problem play, "Iris," was seen by a fair-sized audience at the Academy last night. It was on the melo-dramatic order, full of human interest, pointing to a moral and as a whole was very good of its class. It teaches a wholesome lesson in a rather broadly suggestive way, but is well worth the seeing. To-night Captain Jack Crawford, the Poet-Scout, will be seen as the second number in the Academy's lyceum course.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. Under a new system we have adopted we are confident a much more satisfactory city delivery will result provided subscribers will report, either in person or by postal card, every case of negligence on the part of carriers.

— Among last night's arrivals were R. E. Lee, Esq., and J. G. McCormick, Esq., of Lumberton; Claudius Dockery, Esq., and W. G. Pool, of Raleigh; Col. W. S Cook, of Fayetteville; John C. Lamb, of Williamston, and R. L. Temple, of Sumter, S. C.

Rather early to think of Christmas suits, but quite a number of our customers are already leaving their measures and making first selections—an advantage we want all our friends to enjoy. It's marvellous how young and old are taking to the fashionable fabrics we are showing. Then they are all guaranteed perfect fits. Better see our samples early. "At the Sign of the Golden Arm." This is the place. I. Shrier, N. E. corner of Front and Princess.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Jno. B. Stronach is here.

— Mrs. R. T. Bennett, of Wadesboro, is visiting Mrs. M. Cronly, on South Third street.

— Miss Annelle Branch has gone to New York to attend a meeting of Christian Scientists.

— Miss Estelle Flynn left yesterday for Southport to visit the family of Capt. O. D. Burriss.

— Mr. Houston Moore, of Fayetteville, is here during the absence of his brother, Mr. B. C. Moore, at the St. Louis Exposition.

— Among yesterday's visitors to the city was Dr. Walter C. Murphy, of Morgantown, who is so well and favorably known to many Wilmingtonians.

— Misses Bessie McNeill, Alice Malleit and Mary Warren Cameron, of Fayetteville, were here yesterday to attend the consecration of Dr. Strange.

— Friends in this city of Mrs. Olivia Russell will regret to know that she is quite sick at the country place of her son, Mr. T. B. Russell, in Robeson county.

— Mrs. G. E. Clemmons, of Florence, S. C., and Mr. F. L. Rutland, of Sumterville, Fla., have returned to Florence after several days spent here as guests of relatives.

— Among the popular travelling men in the city is Mr. W. A. Holmes, of the Pittsburg Meter Company. Mr. Holmes is spending a few days in the city, the guest of Capt. W. F. Robertson.

— Mr. Oscar R. Peterson, the well known "knight of the key," has gone to Asheville to take the telegraphic reports in the brokerage office of Mr. Preston G. White, formerly of this city.

— The STAR acknowledges the pleasure of a call yesterday from the Rev. Frederick Nash Skinner, of Clinton, secretary of the East Carolina Diocesan Council. Rev. Mr. Skinner was down for the consecration and was greeted most cordially by hundreds of friends.

FEDERAL COURT YESTERDAY.

White Men from Sampson County Convicted of Blockading—Other Notes.

The United States District Court was engaged practically all day yesterday in the trial of A. P. Hornrine, J. H. Bradshaw and G. W. Bass, white men of Sampson county, charged with blockading. The case was taken up at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, continued during the entire afternoon session and completed with the return of a verdict of guilty at 6 o'clock yesterday evening, the court having adjourned for the day half an hour earlier. The verdict was taken by the clerk and the prisoners were delivered into the hands of the Marshal for custody until they are brought into court at 10 o'clock this morning and judgment is passed by His Honor.

The defendants were represented at the trial by former District Attorney Claude M. Bernard, of Raleigh, and Herbert McClammy, Esq., of this city, who made a manful fight for their clients against heavy odds. The government's case was looked after, with their characteristic vigor, by District Attorney Skinner and Assistant District Attorney Giles. The blockade still conducted by the defendants was raided by revenue officers several months ago and a quantity of liquor in unstamped packages was seized on the premises.

The grand jury during the day returned bills in the following cases: Nelson Toon, Columbus, retailing; Rufus Smith, Cumberland, removing and concealing spirits; Alice Tillman and Susan Russell, Cumberland, retailing; Chester Nealy, Columbus, retailing; John Evelyn, Cumberland, retailing; Nat McKay, Cumberland, retailing.

Very little progress was made on the trial docket other than disposition of the cases mentioned. The following submissions were cleared from the docket:

Murdock Smith, Scotland, retailing; pleaded guilty; 6 months in jail, $100 fine and costs.

Bettie Jones, Cumberland, retailing; called and failed, judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

During the morning the libel proceedings of Jno. F. Jacobs, of New York, assignee, against the steamer "City of Fayetteville," was called up on the admiralty docket and the case continued for a hearing before Judge Purnell, in Raleigh, on Nov. 16th. An order was also signed, transferring the matter of the Southern Saw Mill and Lumber Co., of Kingsdale, N. C., to Raleigh, on Nov. 15. The order is given in full elsewhere in to-day's paper.

During the morning session, Chas. G. Rose, Esq., a promising young attorney of the Fayetteville bar, was presented to Judge Purnell by Herbert McClammy, Esq., of Wilmington, and was admitted to practice in the Federal Courts.

At 5:30 o'clock a recess was taken until 10 A. M. to-day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wilmington and Southport Steam Boat Line.

Winter Schedule.

Steamer Wilmington leaves Wilmington Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15, A M.

Leaves Southport, 2 P. M.

Leave Southport Thursdays and Fridays and Saturdays at 8 A. M.; leave Wilmington at 2 P. M.

Extra trip leave Wilmington on Thursday at 5 A. M.; Leave Southport, 8 P. M. Saturday freights received from 7 a. m. until 5 P. M.

J. W HARPER.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Progressive.

Be progressive. Steamfitters. Smooth Black and Bright Galvanized Pipe and neat fittings are just as cheap as rough ones and make a neat, attractive job.

Plumbers. Recommend and insist on putting in our beautiful Porcelain tubs and lavarotories and have your customer satisfied.

Tinners. Use Merchant's Old Method and Genuine Solder and it will be a credit to you as well as the contractor, and a joy to the owner forever.

Mill Men. Use Hoe Saws, Jenkin's Valves, Sawyer's Belting, Smith packing and get six days work out of your mill every week.

No job too large, none too small for us to help you figure out the cost of. Don't say it costs too much but come and see us and get the price.

T. D. LOVE COMPANY,

204, 206 North Water St.
One Block from Postoffice.
nov 2 tf

WINTER'S APPROACH

A day of sunshine now and then, but these frosty mornings admonish us that sable Winter is almost here. That suggests the comforts and satisfaction of one of our modern heaters. We have them this year of every shape and kind—just the one to suit. Or, perhaps, it's a cooking stove or range. We have those too, And the point we are making for them all is that they furnish an even maximum of heat with the greatest economy of fuel.

We are yours just now for stoves and ranges, but all the time for hardware and agricultural implements. Let us serve you.

J. W. Murchison & Co.,

Importers and Dealers in all kinds of Hardware. Orton Building.
'Phone 106. oc 11 tf

What Is It

That the people of "Wilmington "have needed for years?

A GOOD "CAFE."

Where is it?

THE "DELMONICO,"

opposite Postoffice.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED.
no 2 3m

NOTICE.

We have moved our Store to 125 and 127 Market street. Friends and customers will please call on us there.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,

Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager.
no 2 tf

BUSINESS LOCALS.

NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

For Rent—Residence No. 219 South Second St. Fine cistern and modern conveniences. Walter Taft, 713 South Third St. no 2 tf

Start the day right—Heat the bedroom with a gas radiator. Instantly started. Instantly outed. no 2 1f

Steamer E. A. Hawes, Capt. W. A. Robeson, leaves Wilmington for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Fayetteville for Wilmington Wednesdays and Saturdays. Freight received at foot of Chesnut street. A share of the patronage of Cape Fear shippers is solicited. J. A. Munn, Agent, 110 North Water street. Phone 1041. we fr su oc 6 1m

Valuable wharf property, suitable mill site, desirable residence and elegibly located trucking lands for sale by M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate Agents, 114½ Princess St. oct 30 tf

Truckers—We have on hand a large lot of cypress suitable for fencing, barn-boards, lettuce beds, &c., which we will sell as a low price. It will last three times as long as pine. Cape Fear Lumber Co. oct 26 3t

Boarders Wanted—Gentlemen preferred. Nice rooms, modern conveniences and terms reasonable. Close in. Mrs. Allison Alderman, No. 7 South Fourth street. Bell Telephone No. 310. oct 23 1w

Osteopathy—J. W. Kibler, D. O., graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, five years' experience. Now permanently located at 514 Princess street. Hours from 10 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 4.30 P. M. Consultation free at office. oc 27 1m

A Boy 14 to 16 years old (a resident of Wilmington) is wanted at the STAR office. Must be willing to make himself generally useful. oct 26 tf

Just Received—Car of Fancy New York State Irish potatoes that I will sell in lots away down in price. Car now being unloaded at foot of Dock street. Fresh consignments of Cabbage, Apples and other produce being received daily. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market street. 'Phone 203. oct 19 tf

Wanted—Every body to get hungry and come to the Dixie. 117 Princess St.

New Series of Stock in Co-operative Building and Loan Association opens Saturday, November 5th, 1904. Subscribe for stock 25 cts. a share—worth $100 at maturity. This Association is prompt, reliable and secure. For full information see the secretary. Wm. E. Worth, President. Thos. H. Wright, Secy. and Treas. Office No. 124 Princess street. nov 5 oct 7

Saw Mill for sale—Price $1,250, one half cash, balance on good time. Or will rent. Address R. C. Applewhite, Cronly, N. C. oc 4 1m

Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents, move on September 1st to the new building erected for them nearer Second street, No. 124. Pay rent, Building & Loan dues there, and call and see them for your next house. au 21 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. O. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

The Dixie Cafe is a first class variety restaurant. Meals at all hours Quick lunches a specialty. 117 Princess street. au 14 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 13 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 20 tf

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 2.

HAGUE CONFERENCE CALLED.

Before the United States had concluded a treaty of peace with Spain, the Czar of Russia invited a conference at The Hague to discuss the problems of the maintenance of general peace, the regulations of the operations of war, and the lessening of the burdens which preparedness for eventual war entails upon modern peoples.

Now while Russia's war with Japan is still going on President Roosevelt has called upon the signatory powers for another Hague conference. In a circular note dated Washington, October 21, Secretary Hay has carried out the President's instructions relative to proposing a conference. The note not only contemplates the re-assembling of The Hague conference for the consideration of questions specifically mentioned by the original conference as demanding further attention, such as the rights and duties of neutrals, the inviolability of private property in naval warfare, and the bombardment of ports by naval force, but goes further by practically indorsing the project of a general system of arbitration treaties and the establishment of an international congress to meet periodically in the interests of peace.

The conference proposed by the Czar assembled at The Hague May 18, 1889, and the President and Secretary Hay justify the issue of the President's proposition while the present war is in progress by the fact that the first Hague conference was called by the Czar before we had concluded peace with Spain. Our representative to the governments of the powers who are parties signatory to the Hague agreement, are instructed to lay the President's proposition before the respective governments which are concerned.

The powers no doubt have been sounded previous to Roosevelt's proposition and they are probably favorable to it. However, it has already been commented on in Europe that the time is inopportune and that Roosevelt is using the opportunity in face of the Presidential election to play a campaign card.

We hate to assign a motive like that to the President but it looks that way to foreigners and it will look that way to a large portion of the American people. However, it is to be hoped that the powers will agree and that the conferencs will speedily assemble and take another great step towards preventing wars, allieviating the horrors of armed conflicts and in securing universal arbitration.

A CASE OF SILF DEFINCE.

Admiral Rojestvensky of the Baltic fleet puts up as his defence for his attack on the Hull fishing fleet that the fishermen fired on him first—that is, that torpedo boats among them did shoot.

His defence reminds us of a good story about an Irish wake. Pat had died and several of his friends sat up with the remains that night. Around the corner Mike had a saloon, and the wake party would go around every now and then to get the drinks. Towards midnight they got pretty merry and concluded to play a joke on Mike.

Taking the corpse of Pat between them, they waltzed it down to the bar and stood it up against the counter. The drinks were ordered and Mike set them out for all the party, including Pat. After the party drank, one pointed to Pat and told Mike that he would pay for the drinks. Mike asked the stiff for the price but received no answer. He washed out the glasses, waited on more customers and stepped back in front of Pat and again demanded the price for the round of drinks. Pat's head was hanging down and there was no answer.

Mike becoming indignant that his demands were being treated scornfully, hauled away and hit the stiff, which went sprawling into the floor. The jokers then ran up to the body and exclaimed: "See here, Mike, you have killed poor Pat!"

"Begorra, I rickon not, gintlemen," said Mike, deprecatingly, "for I only hit him a wee bit of a tap."

"Yes, you have killed Pat, for he is dead," the jokers exclaimed in a chorus.

Mike went around and seeing that Pat was dead sure enough, said in a sorrowful tone:

"Gintlemen, its awful sorry that I am for doing it, but it was a clear case of silf defince. He called me an ugly name and dhrawed a razor on me!"

No doubt many a claim of self defence is no better founded than that of Mike and Admiral Rojestvensky.

If it is true that money talks, Cortelyou will compel it to make itself hoarse between now and next Tuesday.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

BRYAN'S CHANCES FOR THE SENATE.

A special dispatch to the Washington Post from Omaha, Nebraska, on Monday states that the fight now going forward in that State is a stubborn, strenuous one. The signs point unmistakably to the election of a Republican electoral ticket by a large majority. The chances favor, though not largely, the election of George W. Berge, the fusion candidate for the governorship, over John H. Mickey, the Republican candidate, by a narrow majority. The election of all the other Republican candidates for State offices is practically assured. The chances slightly favor the election of enough fusion candidates for the Legislature to give the Democrats and Populists control of that body, and to enable them to make William J. Bryan a United States Senator.

The election of a General Assembly that would send Bryan to the Senate would be a great blow to the Republicans. They dread him, for he would be a thorn in their side at Washington.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— What is it a political party wouldn't do that pays for its campaign cablegrams out of the public treasury.—Norfolk Public Ledger.

—— It is understood that this agitation for "the segregation of the negroes" made a great hit in some Southern districts, until the colored brethren discovered that it wasn't something good to eat.—Washington Post.

—— Congressman Aiken makes a good suggestion. He thinks those Democrats who have not registered should go to the polls and offer to vote. That would show that no discrimination is made, and would be a good point to make in the inevitable contests.—Columbia Record.

—— The people of this country are now paying out an average of $17.42 for clothing as against $13.80 in 1897. If you have a family it means a considerable item. This is Republican "prosperity" for the tariff beneficiaries, and the people pay for the "prosperity."—Houston Chronicle.

—— Despite persistent professions of full, firm and abiding confidence on the part of gentlemen more or less prominent in the management of the Democratic campaign, it is impossible for an impartial observer to find a solid basis for predictions of a Democratic victory. It seems to The Post that the most that that party can reasonably hope for, in view of existing conditions, illumined by the light of experience is so much of progress on the "sane and safe" course as will render it a really formidable and useful opposition and thus strengthen its chances of future triumphs culminating in its restoration to complete contro of the government, a position it has held for but two of the last forty-six years.—Washington Post.

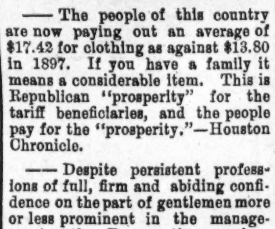
TWINKLINGS

— "Miss Topley has died her hair black." "Is that so?" "Yes, but don't tell anybody." "A secret." "Yes, she wants to keep it dark."—Cleveland Plaindealer.

— The little girl was describing a football game. "There was a lot of men fightin' over a yeller squash," she said, "but I don't know which of 'em got it."

— The Daughter—No, mother, dear, I could not marry Mr. Smith; he squints. The Mother—My dear girl, a man who has $100,000 a year may be affected with a slight optical indecision—but a squint, never!—Tatler.

— Mount Olive Tribune: From the best information obtainable we learn that many of the farmers in this section are holding their cotton for higher prices. Owing to the extremely high prices that farmers received for their cotton last Spring, many of them consider the present prices of from 9 to 9 1-2 cents, too low for the fleecy staple. While this is true to an extent, a great deal of cotton is being sold on the Mount Olive market at present. Some of the cotton growers are compelled to sell in order to meet their obligations, while others are afraid to risk the chances for better prices later on, and are consequently selling now. Farmers are getting out their cotton very rapidly now, and the crop is averaging up fairly good—somewhat better than was looked for in the early part of the season.



There is no disputing the fact that man's heart is often reached through the stomach. Happy the housewife who can please her husband's appetite with well cooked food for the table. Many a man is grouchy, ugly, nervous, suffering from distress after eating, heart palpitation, and all through the overworked stomach.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which helps the digestion of food in the stomach, assists the blood in taking up the proper elements from the food, helps the liver into activity, thereby throwing out the poisons in the blood and vitalizing the whole system. This assimilation helps in the oxidation of the red blood corpuscles, the poisons in the system are eliminated, the heart gets the right kind of blood and the person feels invigorated and stronger in consequence. As a tissue builder it is far preferable to cod liver oil or any alcoholic compounds or tonics, because it gives the blood and the tissues the food elements they require and maintains a person's nutrition by enabling him to eat, retain, digest and assimilate nutritious food. It overcomes the gastric irritability and symptoms of indigestion. Because of the good effects from using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery upon nutrition and the building up of the tissues, catarrh, consumption, weakness or debility and symptoms of fever, night-sweats, headaches, etc., disappear.

"I believe that it is generally conceded that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best medicine for a man to take suffering from indigestion, kidney trouble, or any of the afflictions resulting from overwork or neglecting a cold," writes J. Russell Hill, of 332 Barrie Street, Kingston, Ontario. Recording Secretary Imperial Knights' Federation League of Kingston. "I have used it several times during the past few years and have always found that it gave me immediate relief. It expels excessive uric acid in the system, due to improper digestion, restores the kidneys from congestion, drives headache and backache away, induces appetite and tones up the general system. I consider it a fine remedy for young or old men, sure to build up a run down condition of the system."

MRS. JOHN HOSKINS

SAYS: "WHY DON'T YOU PUBLISH WHAT VINOL HAS DONE FOR OUR BOY,

So That Other Wilmington Parents May Be Benefitted As We Have Been."

Such requests are continually coming to us, and we have over and over again published in the STAR for the benefit of Wilmington people, not our opinion of Vinol and why it is so far superior to all of the other tonics and cod liver oil preparations, but unquestionable testimony from our best class of our citizens and physicians proving its wonderful curative and strength creating properties.

Mrs. Hoskins writes: "Our boy since a child has suffered terribly with bronchitis during cold weather. For years we used cod liver oil, emulsions and other medicines, which upset his stomach, gave only temporary relief, and did not cure. Vinol was recommended and we tried it, and I am thankful to say he is entirely cured and in better health than he has been for years. I wish you would publish this in the

CLIFFORD HOSKINS.

STAR, as I am sure many others will be glad to know of such a healing and strength creating medicine."

Mr. Bellamy says: "The reason Vinol accomplishes such results after everything else fails is because it contains in a concentrated form all of the curative, strength-creating properties of cod liver oil, but without a drop of oil to upset the stomach and retard its work, whereas many of the imitation of Vinol, claiming to be cod liver oil preparations, contain drugs and chemicals claimed to have the same effect as Vinol, but which cannot, as they never came from the cod's liver at all and contain no cod liver oil elements. The secret of separating the medicinal elements of the cod liver from the oil is known only to the makers of Vinol. Therefore, there can be no other cod liver oil preparations just as good or just like Vinol.

So sure are we that Vinol is far superior to all other tonics, cod liver oil and emulsions that we freely offer to return the money in every case where it fails to give perfect satisfaction. Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist.

— Fayetteville Observer: This is Fair Week, and already there are the usual signs of the approaching event, the "fakir," who is always an early bird, being here in some force. President Watson and Secretary Lawrence, of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society, speak in glowing terms of the prospects for a good Fair, with plenty of amusements, in addition to large and varied exhibits. The Tournament and Fair dances will also add to the gayety of the week.

— Charlotte Observer: The prediction of Mr. Harris, the Republican candidate for Governor, that North Carolina will go Democratic by 10,000 to 20,000, instead of 75,000 as he was reported to have admitted some time ago, is not to be taken seriously. It shows, however, what the Republicons hope for in this State, and points to the fact that every Democrat should go to the polls and vote on the 8th of November.

A PURIFYING POWER.

Inherent Qualities of Hancock's Liquid Sulphur Make It a Household Aid.

This preparation is Nature's greatest germicide. Thus its use upon the face produces that most highly valued result—a rare, clear, beautified complexion.

Added to the bath, HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR cures diseases of the skin and confers the benefit of lasting health.

These ailments and many more are conquered by the use, according to directions, of HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR: Acne, itch, burns and scalds, prickly head, diphtheria, catarrh, canker and soreness of eyelids, mouth, scalp, nose or throat.

At principal druggists. Send for booklet to Hancock Liquid Sulphur Co., Baltimore, Md.

FAIR EXCHANGE.

A New Back for an Old One—How It Is done in Wilmington.

The back aches at times with a dull, indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so lame to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back in this condition. You cannot reach the cause. Exchange the back for a new and stronger one. Follow the example of this Wilmington citizen.

J. A. White, electrician for the Coast Line Railroad, at Rocky Mount, residing at 206 North Sixth street, says: "I have had great trouble with my back, right across the loins, and when I sit still for a while I hardly knew how to move and when I did you would think I was seventy-five years old. There were pains all over me and I could not tell where they were to strike me. I used liniments and lots of remedies but nothing did me any permanent good until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Bellamy's drug store and used them. They helped me in a very short time and seemed almost to oil up my joints; in fact, I have not had the pains since I used them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

— But what reason have you for wanting to marry me? I love you! That's no reason; it's an excuse.—From Scraps.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.50 bid per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 55c; rosin firm at $2.10; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	64
Rosin	232
Tar	114
Crude turpentine	138

Receipts same day last year—31 casks spirits turpentine, 222 barrels rosin, 69 barrels tar, 57 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady at 9 37½c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 9¼c for middling.

Receipts—2,309 bales; same day last year, 3,540.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina (new crop, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Spanish, 70@75c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 11c.

EGGS—Dull at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm. Live, 12½c; dressed, 15@16c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

Cotton and Naval Stores.

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

For month of October, 1904.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
113,373	1,621	5,456	1,756	2,362

RECEIPTS.

For month of October, 1903.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
103,958	1,920	7,563	3,066	2,369

EXPORTS.

For month of October, 1904.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	2,265	1,763	5,510	3,237	96
Foreign	107,358	....	....	....	....
	109,623	1,763	5,510	3,237	96

EXPORTS.

For month of October, 1903.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	1,600	1,300	2,510	3,804	963
Foreign	89,849	....	5,970	....	....
	91,459	1,300	8,480	3,804	963

STOCKS.

Ashore and Afloat November 1, 1904.

	Ashore.	Afloat.	Total.
Cotton	6,712	9,884	16,542
Spirits	720	....	720
Rosin	28,321	....	28,321
Tar	930	....	930
Crude	422	....	422

STOCKS.

Ashore and Afloat November 1, 1903.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
18,395	661	31,903	2,619	230

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Money on call steady at 2@2¼ per cent.; closing bid 2 per cent; offered at 2¼ per cent.; time loans steady; sixty days 3@3¼ per cent; ninety days 3½ per cent.; six months 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per ct. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills 486.65@486.70 for demand and 484@484.10 for sixty day bills. The posted rates were 485 and 487¼. Commercial bills were 483½. Bar silver 58¾. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 104¼; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104½; do. coupon, ex int. 104½; U. S. 4's, new, registered, 130½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, ex int. 130½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106¼; do. coupon, ex int, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¾; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 102¾; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 81¾; Southern Railway 5's, 118. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 95; Chesapeake & Ohio 44¾; Manhattan L 161¼; New York Central 133½; Reading 72¾; do. 1st pref'd, 87¾; do. 2nd pref'd 78½; Southern Railway 34; do. pref'd 93¾; Amalgamated Copper 71¼; People's Gas 108¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 57¼; U. S. Leather 11¾; U. S. Leather preferred, 90¾; Western Union 90½; U. S. Steel 20¾; do. preferred 81¼; Mexican Central 17¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 37½; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 110½; sales — shares. Standard Oil 645.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 16½@16¾; do. preferred, 33½@33¾; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 139@140; do. preferred —

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine easy.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 1.—Spirits turpentine and rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 1.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 51c; receipts 908 casks; sales 1,081 casks; exports 650 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 2,343 barrels; sales 1,078 bbls; exports 4,507 A, B, C, $2 62½; D, $2 67½; E, $2 72½; F, $2 77½; G, $2 82; H $2 85; I, $3 25; K, $3 75; M, $4 25; N, $4 50; W G, $4 65; W W, $5 00.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The cotton market was very quiet but ruled generally steady and secred small net gains for the day. The opening was steady at a decline of one point to an advance of three points in response to steady cables. A local trade authority issued a report estimating the crop as 7.3 per cent. greater than last year's or only about 10,800,000 bales and this seemed to be unsettling, the large crop figures based on the report of the census bureau recently published. It did not, however, seem to be attracting an increased demand from outside sources and trading was again almost entirely professional. Reports of a better feeling in New England spinning circles and predictions that the Fall River mills would start up after the 14th of the month might have had some influence on the market, while private wires from the South reporting a better spot demand at steadier prices also had a tendency to restrict operations for a decline. At any rate the market ruled pretty steady during the morning, with January working up to about 9.81 or a net gain of seven to nineteen points on the active months. Following this realising by room longs and revived rumors of European complications arising out of the North Sea incident caused a partial reaction, but in the late trading prices were again steady and were finally steady at a net advance of five to eight points. Sales were estimated at only 500,000 bales. The fact that New Orleans was closed for All Saints Day, probably restricted trading here to some extent. New Orleans orders received here were few, mostly on the buying side. Exports for the day were large and the outlook for to-morrow's receipts seem for light figures judging from the estimates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Cotton was quiet at 10.00c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 3,590 bales; stock — bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10.00; middling gulf 10.25c; sales 6,800 bales.

Futures market closed steady: November 9.83, December 9.70, January 9.79, February 9.84, March 9.89, April 9.93, May 9.97, June 9.99, July 10.01.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 85,017 bales; exports to Great Britain 12,617 bales; exports to France 19,382 bales; exports to the Continent 33,174 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 668,628 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 242,948 bales; exports to Great Britain 114,853 bales; exports to France 504,805 bales; exports to Continen 109,737 bales; exports to Japan 6,549 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,893,260 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,018,461 bales; exports to France 250,071 bales; exports to the Continent 739,467 bales; exports to Japan 16,783 bales; exports to Mexico 6,601 bales.

NOV. 1.—Galveston, steady at 9½c, net receipts 23,121 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 6,756 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9.75, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 10, net receipts 239 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 2,309 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 10.25, net receipts 65 bales; Savannah, dull at 9 9 7-16c, net receipts 15,499 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9 9-16c, net receipts 13,813 bales; Mobile, quiet at 9 7-16c, net receipts 1,940 bales; Memphis, quiet at 9½c, net receipts 2,944 bales; Augusta, steady at 9½c, net receipts 4,023 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9½c, net receipts, 1,074 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Flour was dull and barely steady; Minnesota patents $6 00@6 40. Wheat—Spot firm; No. red $1 18½. Options closed 1@1½c net higher; May closed $1 13¾; December closed $1 17¾. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 59½c f.o.b. afloat. Options market closed ¼c advance; May closed 51c; December 56¾c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 26@33 pounds, 34½@35½c. Pork barely steady; family $15 50; short clear $13 75@17 00; mess $12 50@13 00. Lard quiet; refined quiet. Tallow dull; city ($3 per package) 4¼c; country; (package free) 4¾@4¾c. Cabbages steady; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steamer, 10@15c. Potatoes steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 75@2 00; State and Western $1 50@1 75; Jersey sweets $1 25@1 75. Butter very firm; State dairy, common to extra 14@22c; creamery, common to extra 14½@33c. Rice quiet. Peanuts quoted dull; fancy hand-picked 5@5¼; other domestic 3@6¼c. Cheese steady; State, full cream, small colored fancy, September 10¼c, do. white choice, October 9¾c. Eggs firm; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, extra fancy 30@32c; Southern 18@22c. Sugar—Raw was quoted firm; fair refining 3¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¼c; molasses sugar 3¾c; refined firm; confectioner's A $5 05; mould A $5 55; cut loaf $5 90; crushed $5 90; powdered $5 30; granulated $5 20; cubes $5 45. Cotton seed oil was quiet and barely steady: Prime crude, f.o.b. mills, 20c; prime summer yellow 26¼@26¾c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white and winter yellow 30@31c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Renewed apprehension concerning the status of the Anglo-Russian controversy caused a sharp rally in wheat here to-day. At the close December wheat was 1¾@1¾c higher and May 1½c. Corn is up a shade. Oats show a gain of ¼c. Provisions are practically unchanged.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Cash prices: Flour easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring $1 13@1 15; No. 3 spring $1 00@1 14; No. 2red $1 14¾@1 17. Corn—No. 2 54; No. 2 yellow 56¼c. Oats—No. 2 29¾c; No 2 white —c; No. 3 white 30@31c. Rye—No. 2 79¼c. Mess pork, per bbl., $10 90@11 00. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 02½@7 05. Short rib sides, loose, $6 87½@7 00. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 00@7 25. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 24.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December $1 10¾@1 11, 1 13, 1 10¾, 1 12¾; May $1 10¾@1 10¾, 1 13¾@1 13¾, 1 10¾, 1 11¾@1 12; July 95¾@96½, 98¾, 95¾, 97¾. Corn—December 48¾@48¾, 49, 48¾@48¾, 48¾@48¾c; May 45¾, 45¾, 45@45¾, 45¾c; July 45, 45¾@45¾, 44⅞@45, 45⅛@45¼c. Oats—No. 2 November—, —, —, 29¼c; December 28¾, 28¾, 28¾, 28¾c; May 30¾@30¾, 31⅛@31¼, 30¾@30¾, 31⅛c; July 30¾, 31¾, 30¾, 31¾. Mess pork, per bbl—January $12 32½, 12 37½, 12 30, 12 37½; May $12 37½, 12 42½, 12 37½, 12 42½. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $7 02¾, 7 07¾, 7 00, 7 07¾; May $7 15, 7 17½, 7 12¾, 7 17½.

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NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 8¾c; mild quiet; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices and was finally unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales 4,000 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 1.—Cotton: Spot, increased demand; prices two points lower; American middling fair 5.68d; good middling 5.43d; middling 5.32d; low middling 5.20d; good ordinary 5.06d; ordinary 4.90d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 9,600 bales American. Receipts 93,100 bales, all American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c): November 5.25d; November and December 5.23d; December and January 5.24d; January and February 5.25d; February and March 5.26d; March and April 5.27d; April and May 5.28d; May and June 5.29d; June and July 5.29d; July and August 5.29d.

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Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.

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Schr Thos A Ward, Jones, Port Royal, S C, C D Mafflit.

Clyde steamer Carib, Chichester, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

GLASGOW—British steamer Armenia, 2,875 barrels rosin, valued at $10,000; 515,000 feet gum logs, valued at $30,000; cargo by Acme Tea Chest Co, per Will L Miller, agent; vessel by Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—57 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 22 barrels rosin, 9 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—635 bales cotton, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,319 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 70 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar, 41 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—257 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels tar.

Steamer Hurt—5 bales cotton, 30 barrels rosin, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—2 bales cotton, 34 casks spirits turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—34 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 40 barrels rosin, 20 barrels tar, 37 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Alice—33 barrels crude spirits turpentine.

Steamer Black River—70 barrels rosin, 40 barrels tar.

Henry's Flat—26 barrels tar.

Total—2,309 bales cotton, 64 casks spirits turpentine, 232 barrels rosin, 114 barrels tar, 138 barrels crude turpentine.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte has an electro-plating establishment that manufactures a line of silverware.

— Raleigh News and Observer, Nov. 1st: Master John Aycock, the little son of Gov. Aycock, is now quite free from typhoid fever. This is pleasant news to the Governor's friends throughout the State.

— The whole State will rejoice to learn that State Treasurer Lacy, who is in Arizona, is greatly improved. They will hope that his trip, enforced by illness, will fully restore him to health. — Raliegh News and Observer.

— Raleigh goes forward. The postoffice receipts in October, 1904, were more than $4,300 greater than in October, 1903. The postal receipts tell a good story of progress. —Raliegh News and Observer.

— Charlotte Observer: Hon. E Spencer Blackburn is said to have received $8,000 from the Republican barrel to aid in his election. This will not be likely to endanger Newland's election, but it will materially add to the enthusiasm of Mr. Blackburn's followers.

— At Newton Sunday evening Chief of Police John W. Erwin and Deputy Sheriff A. D Yount were arrested for the killing of the negro Frank Highley, at Conover. Each was required to give $1,000 bond for his appearance at court next week and this was given. The negro was left at Conover and died there instead of in jail as previously reported. The physician left morphine there to be given in several doses to keep down the pain It is claimed that this was given in one or two doses and that this excess probably caused his death.

— A dispatch from Washington, N. C., on Monday, says: "The Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, Hon. Francis D. winston, addressed a gathering of loyal Democrats here to-day at the court house. His speech was full of his usual force and beauty, and when a Winston turns loose the fire of his oratory on Doubting Thomases, there is sure to be a good springling of converts after each effort. National and State issues were taken up in order, and speaking as if inspired, Judge Winston confounded the enemies of Democracy and added strength to the cause.

— Mt. Olive Tribune: Who ever thought that two men in North Carolina—the grand old North State—could lose their self-respect so completely as to endorse Roosevelt's social equality practice? Pearson and Spears, Republican candidates for Congress, did this very thing, but we are glad to know that their benighted views do not represent even a small per cent. of the manhood of our State. May there be plenty of room in our institution for the insane for the white man who casts his vote for either of these men, who are proud that Roosevelt dined a negro in the White House.

— Because he had been discharged, Jesse Barnes, colored, became incensed and tried to kill his former employer and as a result is now a corpse. The affair happened at a place called Jasper, about 12 miles from Newbern, Saturday night. Barnes had been working on the farm of George Carroway, white, and the negro became so worthless that Carroway discharged him, whereupon Barnes declared that he would kill Carroway the first opportunity that he got. Saturday night Barnes went to the house of Carroway, armed with a double-barrelled shot-gun, and told him to come out as he wanted to see him. Carroway came to the door and saw that the negro was armed, so he went back and got his rifle. In the meantime Carroway told his brother, John, what the negro had, and both went out together. After a few words the negro made the remark that he intended killing Carroway, and raised his gun to fire, when John Carroway threw up his arm and knocked the gun down. The gun was discharged and the load took effect in the leg of John Carroway. After seeing the man down Barnes raised his gun again and told George Carroway: "Damn you, I will kill you anyway." But George Carroway was too quick with his weapon and blazed away at the negro, hitting him in the stomach, inflicting a mortal wound.

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7c Outings, this sale 5c.
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65c sheets, size 81 by 90, this sale 49 cents.
15c Pillow cases, this sale 10c.
Basting Cotton, all colors, this sale 1c spool.
No. 4 all silk Taffeta ribbons, all colors, this sale, 10c yd.
12½c Outings, all colors, this sale 9¾c.
12½c Canton flannel, this sale 10c.
19c Bureau scarfs, this sale 10c.
Ladies new style belts, 10c.
10c Percales, this sale 7c.
25c Linen Towels, nicely fringed, this sale 19c.
$1.50 Ladies' Shoes, this sale $1.19.
Menen's Borated Talcum Powder, one to customer, 10c.
50c. ladies undervests, this sale 38c.
Pearl buttons, 3c dozen.
Gallon coffee pots, this sale 10c.
50c house brooms, this sale 33c.
Men's $1.25 pants 98c.
$7.00 overcoats, this sale $4.98.
Boy's $1.00 suits, this sale 75.
Children's hose, 5c.
Men's 15c sox 10c.
Men's linen collars, this sale 5.
Children's 15c mitts 10c.
Doiles, this sale 19c doz.
$1.25 counterpanes, now 98c.
Blankets 59c.
150 ladies hats, worth 25 and 50c, this sale 10c each.
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Witch hazel soap, 3 cakes for 10c.
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OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 6th, 1904.
Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$28,158 55
Furniture and fixtures	$160 00	160 00
Demand loans		47,550 00
Due from banks and bankers		23,564 32
Cash items		6,361 38
Gold coin		75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency		379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes		781 00
Total		$305,959 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13,127 51
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Ar Wilson	1 15 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 05 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 35 a m	11 02 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 05 p m
Ar Wilson	11 23 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 19 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

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SOUTHBOUND

	*Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 45 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	* Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 00 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 55 p m	1 40 p m

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Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

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†7.00 A. M.	8.15	
10 00 A. M.		11.00 A. M.
3 00 P. M.		5 00 P. M.
*5.10 P. M.	7.30 P. M.	
*10 00 P. M. (Sat'day)	10.30 P. M.	(Sat'day only)

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(Daily except Sunday)

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 2.

WAR SCARE IN LONDON CAUSED BY ALARMISTS.

But British Officials Say Negotiations for Settlement of North Sea Incident Progress Favorably.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Negotiations between Great Britain and Russia looking to a settlement of the North Sea affair are progressing favorably, and there is not the slightest danger of any friction arising between the two governments. The composition of the international commission under The Hague convention is on the verge of settlement.

In spite of these pacific conditions Great Britain to-day experienced a war panic. Not for years have so many alarmist reports and flaming extras flooded London. The most extraordinary feature of this scare is that there was not one single circumstance to justify it. The excitement started early in the day when the newspapers announced the departure of the Russian Baltic squadron from Vigo. The public were not in possession of the information cabled by the Associated Press to the United States that only the officers concerned in the firing on the British trawlers would be detached, and jumped at the conclusion that Russia had broken faith by not detaining the vessels involved in the affair. On top of this came wild reports of tremendous activity at Gibraltar. Hour by hour the news from Gibraltar became more serious, until at last the climax was reached with the announcement that the British fleet had cleared for action. In huge type the papers made the parallel statements, "The Russian fleet has sailed"—"The British fleet has cleared for action." No newspaper and no person seemed able to explain these events.

The news from Gibraltar became more and more alarmist. Ambassador Beckendorff was quietly discussing with Foreign Minister Lansdowne the personnel of the international commission, but it was popularly rumored that he was receiving an ultimatum.

Premier Balfour, Admiral Sir John Fischer, commander-in-chief at Portsmouth; Lord Selborne, first lord of the admiralty, and Prince Louis, of Battenburg, director of naval intelligence, were all in conference, and it was openly hinted that they were planning the first stroke of war. As a matter of fact they, like Lord Landsdowne, were engaged in considering names that had been suggested for the international commission. When all London was in this state of mind the Foreign Office decided to adopt a course most unusual for it, and in order to allay the public excitement, gave out to the press the following statement:

"Before the Russian fleet left Vigo instructions were given to the Russian admiral, with the view to preventing injury or inconvenience to natural shipping during the passage of the Russian fleet to the Far East.

"In compliance with Russia's engagement four Russian officers have been left behind at Vigo.

"The two governments are now discussing the terms with reference to the international commission which will be entrusted with the proposed inquiry."

The Foreign Office is intensely irritated at the construction placed upon what they declare must have been mere fleet and garrison exercises. The Associated Press is authorized to state that no orders have been given the huge fleet now concentrated at Gibraltar to make any preparations in connection with the departure of Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron.

Both the Russian embassy and the Foreign Office affirm that the negotiations to-day were entirely confined to the selection of the international commission in which no hitch has occurred.

The admiralty late this evening refused to discuss the reports of activity at Gibraltar, but it was intimated that the movements were part of a prearranged plan rather than the result of orders following the announcement of the departure of the Russian squadron from Vigo.

Warlike Preparations.

GIBRALTAR, Nov. 1.—The garrison has been mobilized and the artillerymen have been ordered to take up their positions at the different batteries of the Rock.

The channel squadron has been ordered to be readiness at an hour's notice and has cleared for action. The preparations cause disquietude, as the regular mobilization ended October 30th.

All the quick-firing batteries were manned this afternoon and detachments of infantry were detailed for duty on the commercial and detached moles. The searchlight stations are being strictly guarded.

VIGO, SPAIN, Nov. 1.—All the Russian warships left here at 8 o'clock this morning. The Russian squadron was followed by the Spanish cruiser Extremadura. Heavy firing was later heard in the offing, which proved to be artillery practice. The British cruiser Theseus arrived this afternoon. Three war vessels whose nationality as yet is unknown, have arrived off Cies Island.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

Two Men Killed and Three Others Injured in the Texas Oil Fields.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HOUSTON, TEXAS, Nov. 1.—Two men are dead, two fatally injured and one severely hurt as the result of a dynamite explosion in the Batson oil field to-day.

The dead; John Brumley, McKee's Rock, Pa., head blown off; Clarence J. Hoff, Tenn., body blown to pieces. The fatally injured; John Rider, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Bert Holt.

The pumping foreman was also badly injured but will recover. Dynamite had been placed in the Guffey Company's well to loosen the casing. To-day it was decided to pull it out and reset the charge. In drawing the explosive up it collided with the casing.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

President Roosevelt by Proclamation Appoints Thursday, November 24th.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The President to-day issued the Thanksgiving proclamation, setting aside Thursday, November 24, "to be observed as a day of festival and thanksgiving by all the people of the United States at home and abroad."

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JUDGE PARKER'S NEW JERSEY TOUR.

Republicans Tried to Rout Meeting in Newark, But Were Themselves Driven Out.

BEFORE CANDIDATE ARRIVED.

Great Democratic Gathering—Speaker Greeted With an Enthusiastic Ovation — His Speech Received With Approval.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 1.—Eventually ineffective, but temporarily successful, was the attempt made to-night to rout a monster Democratic meeting at the Essex Troop armory, where Judge Parker was the principal speaker. The great building, with a capacity said to be more than two-thirds of that of Madison Square Garden in New York, was filled, and at the first mention of the administration and the name of President Roosevelt hundreds broke forth with terrific cheering and for several minutes it appeared as though the Democrats were in the minority. The scene that followed was one of unimaginable confusion. Hissing and cheering were mingled. Words in anger and threat were heard and the police were powerless to control. Finally, the Democsats by sheer force of numbers and their greater volume of sound drowned out their adversaries.

The disturbance occurred before Judge Parker reached the hall. The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock. It was under the auspices of the Parker Constitution Club of New Jersey, and Richard V. Lindabaury was introduced as the presiding officer. He began his speech, devoted to national issues, but had not fairly started before it became evident that there were a number of Republicans in the building. He referred to the alleged usurpation of power by the executive in the Panama republic incident which appeared to be the signal for the outbreak. In an instant the representatives of the two parties were locked in a combat of hoots and hisses, handclapping and cheers. Mr. Lindabaury appeared to be taken by surprise and he repeated the reference to Panama, again mentioning the name of Roosevelt, which was cheered louder than ever. By this time the Democrats in the audience were ready to meet the attack which they did with hisses for the interruptions and cheers for the Democratic candidate.

In defiance of the attempt to rout him, Mr. Lindabaury abandoned the speech he had prepared for the occasion and talked directly at the disturbers. He seemed to relish the contest.

When the band leading the Parker procession was heard to approach the armory he had effectually silenced those who had cheered for the Republican party.

When Judge Parker finally reached the platform he was given an ovation equal in intensity to that at Madison Square Garden last night. Throughout his speech he was accorded marked attention.

Judge Parker's invasion of New Jersey to make in the present campaign the first speech he has delivered outside of his native State, was met with a resounding welcome. At The Broad street station in Newark several hundred people gathered and despite extensive police protection passage up Broad street was forced with great difficulty.

Led by a squad of police and a military band, the party, in two carriages, was driven to Mr. Smith's home. A big crowd was gathered there and lines were established by the police to enable the party to reach the house. As Judge Parker mounted the steps there was a tremendous cheering. He lifted his hat several times and shook hands with many women who rushed to the steps.

During the wait for Judge Parker at the armory, William H. Fielder, candidate for mayor, was called for and he made few a remarks. He was interrupted by the appearance of Judge Parker on the platform at 9:03 o'clock. The demonstration was phenomenal. The Democratic enthusiasts cheered as though they were trying to wipe out an affront. The applause came from every part of the armory and the volume of sound was deafening. Flags were waved, chairs were hammered with hands and feet, some persons whistled, others shouted and all contributed their full share to the enthusiasm.

It was exactly 12 minutes when Judge Parker took a hand in quelling the enthusiasm. One minute later he addressed the chairman. In an instant the armory was converted from tumult to absolute silence. Throughout his speech the candidate was well treated, being cheered heartily when he scored a point and listened to attentively at all times. There were no more demonstrations from the political opponents that were worthy of notice.

Judge Parker's voice was rather stronger than usual. It penetrated the furthermost sections of the armory. He began his speech by calling attention to the fact that he was making in Newark his first address of the campaign outside of his own State. This provoked great applause. His speech follows:

Judge Parker's Speech.

Judge Parker described at some length the early development of the country, the steady expansion of the population, carrying with it the principles of of popular government. It is this natural expansion, he said, which has made this country, what it is. Contrasted with this picture is the ideal of Europe, with millions under the heel of the conqueror, with armies and navies paid for by the revenues from decaying industries.

"It is this kind of expansion upon which we are invited to look with favor," Judge Parker continued. "We are asked to turn from our own mighty but peaceful triumphs, from the spectacle of a continent settled by a homogeneous people, attached to liberty, fitted to govern themselves, in order that we may enter upon the beginning of a policy which must inevitably end in the adoption of the other methods which I have so briefly and so imperfectly outlined.

"When we are asked then to turn away from the assured triumphs which a popular system—familiar as household words—has brought to us, and to adopt methods which opposed to all our traditions have not even the merit of success or of bringing self-government, happiness and contentment to a single people thus far subjected to them, we may well enter our protest against such a policy. If, under a government of constitutional restraints and regard for law, we have been able, through peace and war, foreign and intestine, to grow from a population of three millions to one of eighty millions, why may we not go on until we have doubled that number? Why should we not consent to take even the first step, which according to its advocates is certain to lead us to what they call 'empire!'

"It is within the recollection of great masses of our population, as it is within the knowledge of all, that the sympathies of our people formerly went out to the small countries of the Old World, which were struggling for recognition or independence. But now a different story is told. We hear strange reports of alliances, but they are with those governments in which the strength of their armies and navies is more in evidence than their devotion to popular rule. We hear utterances or see acts, in which contempt is shown for small countries. Instead of treasuring Washington's admonition to be friendly to all nations, but to form alliances with none, the idea now uppermost in some of our diplomacy seems to be that this doctrine is outworn and obsolete, and that because we are eighty millions instead of ten, we should change our political habits and adopt methods and manners long since rejected.

"But there are other directions in which we have departed widely from our early traditions, and which now menace our people industrially. We all know that during the last quarter of a century vast changes have taken place in our industrial condition—changes that have tended to do away with competition and have placed the leading industries of the country in the control of a few men. We have been warned against this tendency from time to time by thoughtful and far-seeing men, but the warning has not been heeded. To-day, however, most men are able to appreciate that it would have been wise to heed the warning earlier. Now the task of checking the evil is greater. Those who have enjoyed special privileges, enabling them indirectly to tax the people, together with those who have by combinations obtained practically the control of certain kinds of business, have grown so strong that they feel able to control elections, thus preventing interference with power they enjoy. The effect of that power as wielded has been to increase the cost of living to all; to add to the burdens, because it is well known to all who purchase coal. You each know that the price was increased fifty cents per ton almost immediately after the strike.

"When an individual violates the law, the law punishes him. When a corporation violates the law, the law should punish it. A corporation is no more entitled to immunity from the consequences of its wrongful acts than the individual. A combination of individuals to control the market price of products of any kind is void. A combination of corporations for a similar purpose is alike void. We would not hesitate for a moment to prosecute the individuals thus violating the law for the purpose of oppressing the people. Why should there be any hesitation in enforcing the law against great corporations for illegal business? Are the artificial creations of the government exempt in practice from the operation of that sacred principle of equal and exact justice to all men? It ought not to be so. And is will not long be so if we as a people act wisely in both State and national contests.

"I am obliged to omit calling your attention to other issues which divide the parties. Among these issues are these:

"Administrative extravagance must be checked.

"There must be equal opportunity for all and special privileges for none.

"This shall remain a government of laws not of men.

"There must be a reform of the tariff.

"This nation will no more hold another people in perpetual bondage than it will tolerate the enslaving of individuals by its citizens. Overwhelming in importance are these issues, above them tower the questions:

"Shall the partnership between the Republican leaders and the trusts continue with profit to both, and hurt to the country?

"Shall the trust contributions of millions to the campaign fund secure the right to continue the wrongful taking of many millions a year from the people?"

Another ovation was given the candiate when he concluded his speech. It continued several minutes, in fact, until Judge Parker left the meeting to take a special trolley car to Jersey City, where he also made speeches before returning to New York to-night. The demonstration outside the armory as the party was escorted to the special car was even greater than that which greeted his entrance to the armory. It is estimated by Democratic leaders that fully as many persons were unable to get into the Essex Troop armory as the full number in the audience.

MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.

Prominent Young Man Found Dead on Roof of a Bank Building With Burglar's Tools Lying Near Him.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., November 1.—James Hendrix, aged 22, one of the most prominent young men of this city, was found dead early this morning on the roof of the American National Bank building, with a set of burglar's tools lying near him. He was killed while trying to cut an electric wire.

The police are making every effort to ferret out the mystery which surrounds the death of young Hendrix. Hendrix was dressed in his militia uniform and his citizen's clothes were found at the armory of the Montgomery Greys. A complete set of burglar's tools was near him and on Hendrix's person were nitro-glycerine, dynamite, fuses, a glass cutter and a pistol. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by electricity. The friends of the dead man are astonished beyond expression.

Hendrix was very prominently connected. Hendrix yesterday was seen in company with a strange man who had been spotted during the day by the chief of police. This man is believed to have been an expert burglar, who in some way had secured the confidence of Hendrix. The dead man was familiar with the bank building and intimate with the bank officials.

ASSAULT ON PORT ARTHUR.

Begun on October 26th and Still Continues—The Situation Near Mukden Unchanged.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

TOKIO, Nov. 1, 9 P. M.—Imperial headquarters to-night published a series of reports covering the operations against Port Arthur during the months of August, September and October. The chief interest centers in the tremendous attack which was begun October 26th and is still continuing.

MUKDEN, Nov. 1—The situation is rather puzzling. Neither side apparently is willing to assume a genuine offensive, although the Japanese are showing greater activity. They are fortifying themselves as if they intended to winter in their present positions.

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MORE TESTIMONY IN M'CUE TRIAL.

Attorneys for Defence Decide Not to Place the Accused on the Witness Stand.

EVIDENCE ABOUT CONCLUDED.

Argument Will Begin This Morning and It is Expected That It Will Take Up Two Days of the Time of the Court—Reach Jury Friday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Nov. 1.—Policeman Grady was the first witness called by the defence to-day in the trial of ex-Mayor McCue, charged with the murder of his wife. He said he was the second person to reach the McCue residence after the tragedy and that when he saw the defendant there blood was dripping from the wound on his face, that it had run down about the mouth and the stains on Mr. McCue's shirt front appeared to him as if they had been caused by the blood from the wound.

Three brothers of the accused, Charles, John L., and William, each testified that they did not hear a conversation alleged as testified to by the jailor as having passed at the jail between the accused and his son William, in which the two latter were made to say something about Mrs. McCue rushing into the son's room on one occasion followed by Mr. McCue.

C. H. Moore testified to the friendly relations of the McCues.

The defence at this juncture announced that they had but one other witness who could not reach here until later, and with the agreement that he take the stand when he arrives the defence rested. There was a stir in the court room when one of the jurors announced that he wanted to do what is right and that the jury desired to have John Perry, the negro servant whose name has been mentioned in the testimony, called. Judge Morris sent a summons for him as a court witness.

The jury also asked that a James Lewis be called.

John Perry, a young negro servant, questioned by the court, said he was asleep in the McCue house on the night of the tragedy. He was awakened by the crying of Mrs. McCue, he said, and heard her say, "Oh, Sam, come and help me; he is killing me."

The witness said he tried to get through the hall door between his room and the family apartments. He then heard a shot which he said sounded like it had been fired between the hall and bath room. He said he heard a man run into the bath room twice, then go down stairs. Mr. McCue came, he said, to his room about three minutes later, opening the hall door which had barred him when the accused, he said, asked him to come and help him; that a burglar had been in the house; that he had been knocked senseless and that his wife was hurt.

Witness said he had closed all the back doors. Mrs. McCue, he said, was in her room when he first heard the screaming. The witness was subjected to a rigid cross-examination by Captain Woods for the Commonwealth. He would not admit having made any statement contrary to his evidence to-day. He denied having said that he heard Mrs. McCue say, "Oh, Sam, don't kill me; I am going to die anyhow." He denied having told Willie McCue the day after the tragedy that he was afraid to tell what he knew, or that he heard a slap first and then heard Mrs. McCue say, "Sam, you ought not to treat me like this." He said he did not see Willie McCue "write down" anything he had said. He denied telling W. G. Baldwin, a detective, that he heard two licks struck and heard Mrs. McCue say, "Sam, why do you treat me so?"

The calling of John Perry to the stand by the jury came as an eleventh hour climax. It furnished a surprise to both the Commonwealth and defence, as he had been summoned and not called to the stand by either side although he was in the house at the time of the tragedy. A crowded court room heard the testimony.

W. G. Baldwin, a detective, followed Perry and testified that Perry had stated to him among other things that he heard a voice saying: "Sam why are you treating me so?" that he (Perry) heard a noise like choking, then a shot, and that Mr. McCue then came to his door. Albert Baldwin testified to the same effect.

Susan Austin and Carrie E. Perry, negro women, said Perry told them he heard a scream and then the cry, "Oh, Sam, you're killing me."

The court admitted all the testimony as to alleged statements by Perry for the purpose of discrediting him, and not as evidence against accused. The statement which Willie McCue said he had written and which made Perry say what Perry denied in his testimony was received and admitted.

Both sides announced at the closing of the morning session that their evidence was all in except one witness for the defence, who had not arrived and whose testimony is to be taken later. Instructions will be agreed upon later to-day and arguments will begin in the morning.

A short session of court was held this afternoon to hear the testimony of W. S. Deckert, of Harrisonburg. He testified that he had heard Mr. Burke, a previous witness in the case, say he heard Ernest Crawford, brother of Mrs. McCue, speak of what a fine man Mr. McCue was, and that he and Mr. Burke and Mr. Crawford had had a conversation in which Mr. Crawford had said that he did not in his talks with Mr. Burke refer to the domestic relations of the accused.

It was decided by the defence not to place the accused on the stand. The time to which the arguments will be limited has not been fixed. All three of the attorneys for the Commonwealth expected to address the jury, but just how many of the defendant's lawyers will talk is not stated to-night. It is conceded that at least two days will be taken up in argument.

A large number of women occupied seats in the gallery to-day. Relatives of the accused occupied seats within the bar and near him to-day, as they have throughout the trial.

TREATY SIGNED.

Providing for Arbitration of Possible Disputes Between France and U. S.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Secretary Hay and Ambassador Jussarand today signed a treaty providing for the settlement by arbitration of any possible disputes between the United States and France. It is drawn on the lines of the Anglo-French treaty. The treaty is to be followed very soon by one between America and Italy, and there is reason to believe that some progress has already been made in that direction. A similar treaty with Switzerland will come next, according to the present plan, and it is probable that a whole set of arbitration treaties will be negotiated.

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If you use PERUVIAN once you will want no more manufactured chemical fertilizers, which do your land no PERMANENT GOOD.

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oct 14 tf Importers, Wilmington, N. C.

Ruben's Infant Vests in Wool and Cotton.

F. P. Knit Corset Covers. Children's School Umbrellas $1.00.

Ladies' Silk and Wool Vests. Ready-made Komonos. When you are in need of Misses Underwear glance at our stock of Corset Covers, Gowns, Skirts, &c.

Trefousse, the best Kid Glove in the State, $1,00; every pair warranted. We also carry a line of Kid Gloves at 69 cents.

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NEW HATS

Four hundred and fifty new ready to wear Hats just arrived. Also a big lot Cloaks, Waists, Skirts and Petticoats. Our line is now complete and everything is up to date in style and prices. Our stock is much larger than before, and am sure we can make it to your advantage if you call on us before buying.

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Brick Manufacturers and Dealers in Imported and Domestic Portland Cements.

Best grades of Virginia Rock Lime, Higginson's High Grade Plasters Plastering Hair, Shingles, Roofing and Sheathing Papers, Sewer and Chimney Pipe, &c.

Try some of our "Paroid" Roofing.

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Schooner Crabtree--Salt.

4800 Bags 100 White Salt, 35c.
3260 Bags 100 Burlap Salt, 33c.
F. O. B. Car Lots Only.

Schooner Crabtree, now landing.

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German Delicatassen, North Carolina Buckwheat, Dill & Son's Pickles, Sickle Pears, Florida Oranges, Maple Sugar, Maple Syrup, Flower's Black Preserving Grapes, Pure Ground Horse Radish, Cherry Preserves, Fine Celery, Best Butter.

Carpenter Grocery.

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INTEREST IS ONE OF THOSE THINGS

that keeps right on nights and Sundays. This is one of the reasons why you should deposit your spare change here in a savings account. We invite you to start now; 4 per cent. per annum, compounded quarterly, paid on your deposits.

Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

108 Princess Street.

J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

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NOTICE.

Until the completion of my new law office in the I. O. O. F. building I may be found at the office of the Solicitor, in the Court House, second floor.

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TAILORING.

Don't fail to see Leger Meyer before buying clothes to order. The cheapest and best for the money. Largest line of pants goods in the city to select from.

408 North Front street.

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New Millinery on Display Second Floor

The C. W. Polvogt Co.,

The Store That's Always Busy,

No. 9 North Front Street.

Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums, Second Floor.

Fall and Winter Trimmed Hats.

An unrivaled display of the most beautiful and original Trimmed Hats, the creations of the leading designer's reproductions by our own skillful trimmers. We open this week a large assortment of Hats that cannot be excelled by any Millinery House in the City.

The great success of this trimmed hat business has been phenomenal. For a year it has been growing, becoming more famous day by day and year by year. This season our efforts have surpassed anything heretofore attempted. On all sides we hear more words of praise and satisfaction.

Mourning Millinery in all styles at our popular prices, as well as a special department for the sale of Children's Hats.

We are also displaying a full assortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's ready to wear Hats.

Ready Made Veils

In all the new shades of Green, Brown, Navy and Black, 50c to $2 each. Large assortment of Mourning Veils.

Silk sale to continue throughout this week.

$1.50 36-inch Black Spot Proof Taffetta Silk, every yard warranted, $2.20 per yard.

$1.25 Black warranted Taffetta, special 98c per yard.

85c quality Taffetta Silk, all shades, for this week only, 69c per yard.

$1.00 fancy costume Silk 19 and 27 inches wide, special this week 85 cents.

Lace Curtains and Portieres

Rope Portieres in all leading combination of colors $3.50 and $4 each.

Largest assortment of Damask Portieres ever shown by us, $3.50 to $10 a pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, full width, 3½ yards long, $1 to $6 a pair; all choice patterns.

Lace good pieces $1.25 to $2.50 each.

The Cartoon Blanket, an all wool Blanket 10-4 for $4, 11-4 for $5, 12-4 for $6; also carry a line of cheaper and better grade Blankets.

Silk Drapery 27 inches wide in all new designs, in both stripe and figured, good quality, only 50c per yard.

Furs, Furs.

No other store, we believe, keeps so many furs as we do. Our stock of Isabella Fox Furs for Winter is almost as rich as Sable in colors.

Ladies' Wraps.

All the new shapes and styles, short Jackets and long Butchers back kind, full length When in need of a Cloak call and inspect our line.

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Full assortment of Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers and Pants, in Cambric, Shirting and Nainsook. Our Winter Flannel Underwear for Gents, Ladies and Children is now ready for your inspection.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

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ISN'T YOUR NEW OVERCOATS PAST DUE?

It's about now that cold storage weather packages are due from Manitoba.

Never mind, we have an Overcoat waiting for you.

IT'S ALL READY

to move into at a moment's notice.

Here are the made-to-order styles and qualities of Winter Overcoats at half the made-to-order cost.

Our assortment includes full-backed, broad-shouldered sacks (the pride of dressy young men); medium length sack Overcoats (for quiet dressers), etc., etc.

When you buy an Overcoat here you need not be afraid of comparing notes with anybody either in

Style, Quality or Price.

We start in our Overcoat show at $7.00, and wind up at $25; but there are plenty of stopping points in between where most people purchase.

THE A. DAVID CO.,

The Clothiers and Furnishers.

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Agents Kirshbaum Clothing, Crawford Shoes Carhart Overalls.

REHDER'S,

Agents New Ideal 10c Patterns. American Beauty Corset. Clementina Kid Gloves.

"THE CRAWFORD SHOES,"

"WHY YOU SHOULD WEAR THEM."

They are as good as other shoes sold at $5 and $6. Wear longer, fit better and are more comfortable than other shoes.

Crawford's contain more REAL custom style than any other popular priced shoe, without exception. If you can't come here to see the New Winter Styles, 'phone us and we will send them to you.

CRAWFORD SHOES ARE $3.50 AND $4.00.

J. H. REHDER & CO.,

615, 617, 619 North Fourth Street.

Out of town residents should write for samples of the New Winter Dress Goods.

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Best quality Lamb's Wool Soles. Red, Black, Blue, Pink. Women's, $1 Children's, 75c.

Solomon's Shoe Store.

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J. D. VANN,

Sole Agent,

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Trade Mark

Style, Quality and Price.

If you want good goods at a fair price see my line of Fancy Clocks, Silverware, Cut Glass, Fancy China, Lamps, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, etc.

F. A. BISSINGER.

oct 28 tf 119 Market Street.